Installation Procedures for the Basic Format and Content Checker and the Extended QC Tool

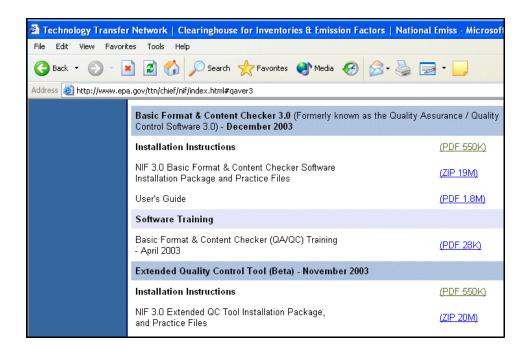
1. Establish two directories on your hard drive:

c:\Basic Format Content

c:\QC Tool



2. Go to http://www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/nif/index.html#qa and download the two zip files into their respective folders.



- 3. Once the .zip files have been downloaded, proceed to unzip the files.
 - A. Basic Format Content Checker Contains six files

Code Lookup Directory

Data for Testing Directory

Emissions QA Tool CAB

Setup

Setup.lst

bfcclistserv.txt

B. Extended QC Tool - Contains five files

QC Code Lookup Directory

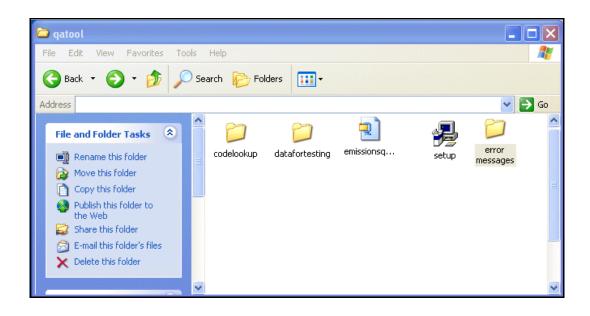
QC Data for Testing Directory

HAPQC.cab

Setup

Setup.lst

- 4. After unzipping the files, go to each directory and double click on "setup" (not setup.lst) and follow the instructions. If you encounter any problems during this process, please contact the Info CHIEF Help Desk at (919) 541-1000.
- 5. When installation is complete, go back to your Basic Format Content and the QC Tool directories and create a subdirectory in each called "Error Messages." The software will ask you for a location to save error messages when you start it. Each directory should look similar to the one pictured below.

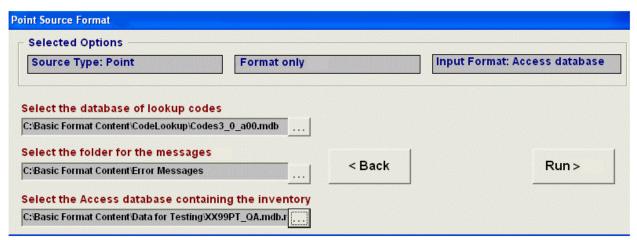


6. It is now time to test your installs. From the Start Menu, go to Programs and Emissions QA (this name will be changed in the next update to the software). The first screen should look like the one pictured below.



This screen is pre-selected for Point Sources in a Access database. Leave the settings as is and click "NEXT>>."

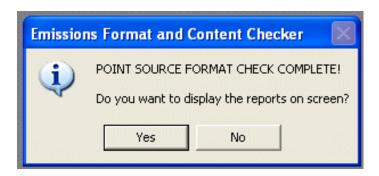
The next screen asks you to locate your Code Tables and where you want your error messages to be saved.



The Code Table file is located in the Code Table subdirectory of the Basic Format Content directory. The code table is available in both Access97 and AccessXP. The folder for messages is the directory you created entitled "Error Messages." Next, you will select the data to be tested. There is a sample file under the directory "Data for Testing." There should be two files. One in Access97 and one in AccessXP. **BOTH FILES INCLUDE ERRORS in the table.** You can use these as an example for correcting errors in the MS Access file. Otherwise, select your own inventory data file.

Now, select RUN.

7. It should take 3 - 5 minutes to run the data through the program. If there are no errors you will receive the following message.



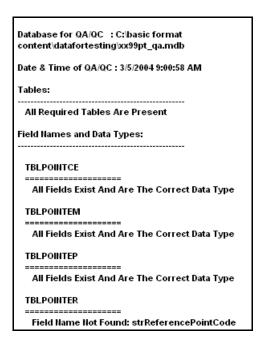
To see your reports on the screen, select "Yes." The reports can be printed from the on screen display. Congratulations! You have successfully run the Basic Format and Content Checker.

If you received an error during the format check, you will get the message below:



Exit out of the Format and Content Checker and open the DBprobs.txt file in the "error messages" folder. The text file will explain the format errors in your inventory data.

8. Open your MS Access file and correct the table where the error has occurred. Correct the error and save the table. Exit MS Access. Run the corrected file through the format checker again.

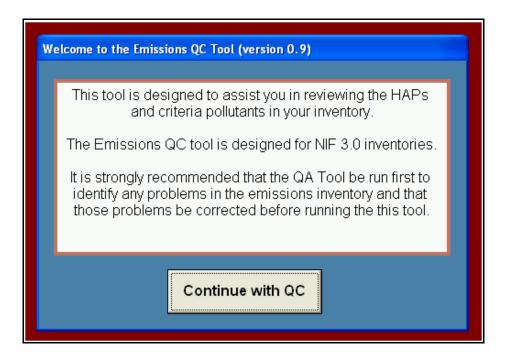


The error is in the table 'pointerER.' To correct it remove the 'L' from the strReferencePointCode field name and save the table.

9. If you experience problems installing or running the program, please contact the Info CHIEF Help Desk at (919)541-1000 or info.chief@epa.gov

Extended QC Tool

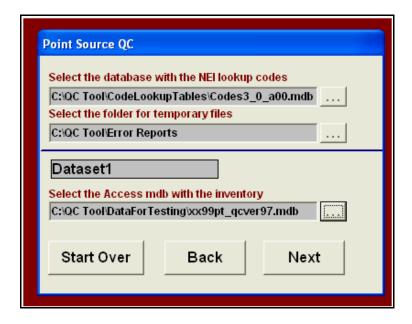
- 1. Follow instructions 1 5 above.
- 2. It is now time to check the installation of the Extended QC Tool. Go to Start, Programs and Emissions QC Tool.
- 3. The first screen should look like the one below.



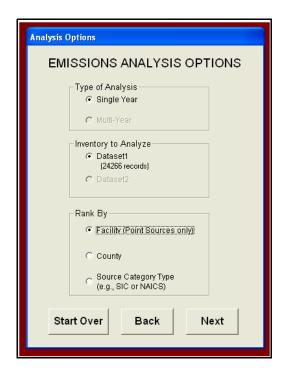
- 4. Click on "Continue with QC."
- 5. The next screen, is preset for Point and one dataset in Access. Do not change anything and click "NEXT."



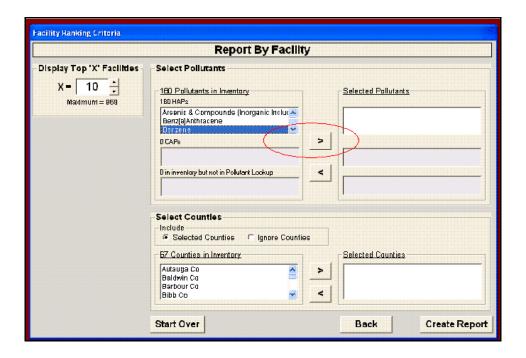
6. As in the Basic Format Content Checker, select the location of the code table, error reports and data for testing in the QC Tool directory. Select NEXT.



7. The program will establish support tables and you will receive the following screen:



9. On the following screen, select Benzene in the pollutant column. HINT: If you put your cursor in the box and type "B", you cursor will drop to the B's and make your search easier. Once you have found Benzene, click the ">" to move it to the selected column.



10. Now, select "Ignore Counties" and "Create Report." If you receive a report like the one below, then your installation has been successful. If not, please contact the Info CHIEF Help Desk at (919) 541-1000.

